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In re Patent Application of:

Ronald J. PERHOLTZ, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/032,325

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Title: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
REMOTE MONITORING AND  
OPERATION OF PERSONAL  
COMPUTERS**

Atty. Docket No.: 2540-0550

Confirmation No.: 6319

Group Art Unit: 2145

Examiner: CARDONE, J. D.

Date: September 30, 2005

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL COVER SHEET

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Sir:

This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the attachments hereto. The signature below is treated as the signature to the attachments in the absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS

	<i>Claims remaining after amendment</i>		<i>Highest number previously Paid For</i>		<i>Present Extra</i>	<i>Rate: Large/Small Entity</i>	
1. <i>Total</i>	128	minus	128	*	= 0	X \$50 / \$ 25 =	\$0
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2. <i>Independent Claims</i>	26	minus	26	**	= 0	X \$200 / \$100 =	\$0
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3. If amendment enters multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave this line <u>blank</u> if this is an <u>reissue</u> application)						\$360 / \$180 =	\$0
4. <b>Original due date:</b> June 30, 2005							
5. <b>Petition is hereby made</b> to extend the <u>original</u> due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is:				<input type="checkbox"/> 1 month <input type="checkbox"/> 2 months. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3 months <input type="checkbox"/> 4 months <input type="checkbox"/> 5 months.		\$120 / \$60 \$450 / \$225 \$1020 / \$510 \$1590 / \$795 \$2160 / \$1080	\$1020
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7. Other Fee for							\$0
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9. ☒ Check No. 1609 in the amount of \$1020 is attached.
10. ☒ Additional Documents Filed Herewith: Exhibits 1, 2, 3
11. ☐ Please charge the total fee on line 8 above to our deposit account below under the stated order number.

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Our Order No. (Client-Matter No.): 2540-0550

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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

**Office Action Summary**

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Examiner

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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address --

**Period for Reply**

A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR REPLY IS SET TO EXPIRE 3 MONTH(S) FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

- Extensions of time may be available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no event, however, may a reply be timely filed after SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- If the period for reply specified above is less than thirty (30) days, a reply within the statutory minimum of thirty (30) days will be considered timely.
- If NO period for reply is specified above, the maximum statutory period will apply and will expire SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- Failure to reply within the set or extended period for reply will, by statute, cause the application to become ABANDONED (35 U.S.C. § 133).
- Any reply received by the Office later than three months after the mailing date of this communication, even if timely filed, may reduce any earned patent term adjustment. See 37 CFR 1.704(b).

**Status**

- 1) ☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on 10 October 2002.
- 2a) ☒ This action is **FINAL**.                      2b) ☐ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

**Disposition of Claims**

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-41, 43, 44 and 48-51 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☒ Claim(s) 1-10 and 12 is/are allowed.
- 6) ☒ Claim(s) 11, 13-41, 43, 44, 48-51 is/are rejected.
- 7) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

**Application Papers**

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☐ The drawing(s) filed on \_\_\_\_\_ is/are: a) ☐ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.
- Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
- 11) ☐ The proposed drawing correction filed on \_\_\_\_\_ is: a) ☐ approved b) ☐ disapproved by the Examiner.
- If approved, corrected drawings are required in reply to this Office action.
- 12) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner.

**Priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and 120**

- 13) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some \* c) ☐ None of:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.
3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).
- \* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.
- 14) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) (to a provisional application).
- a) ☐ The translation of the foreign language provisional application has been received.
- 15) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 120 and/or 121.

**Attachment(s)**

- 1) ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
- 2) ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
- 3) ☐ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449) Paper No(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413) Paper No(s). \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
- 6) ☐ Other: